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Applicant : Gerald D. Trueit, et al.

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For : AUTOMATED PNEUMATIC DOOR SKIN HAMMER

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to further prosecution in the above-referenced application, please amend said application as follows:

Page 1, after the title and before the line reading "FIELD OF THE INVENTION" please insert the following

--This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/430,110, filed December 2, 2002 and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/345,364, filed January 1, 2002. This application is a continuation from PCT application

Serial No. PCT/US02/41605.--

This amendment is submitted to provide the prescribed relationship between the instant application and the PCT application from which it is taken.

The failure to list the reference previously has only recently been noted.

Favorable action is solicited.

A separate sheet bearing the Amended Specification page is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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